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INTERVIEW SUMMARY

All participants (applicant, applicant's representative, PTO personnel):

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(2) Sharmila Gollamudi (4) \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Interview 3/9/04

Type: ☐ Telephonic ☐ Televideo Conference ☒ Personal (copy is given to ☐ applicant ☐ applicant's representative).

Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: ☐ Yes ☐ No If yes, brief description: \_\_\_\_\_

Agreement ☐ was reached. ☐ was not reached.

Claim(s) discussed: Pending

Identification of prior art discussed: \_\_\_\_\_

Description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: \_\_\_\_\_

Proposed amendment include narrowing the composition to  
"consisting essentially of" to exclude the Dye in the  
primary reference of the method claims. Bergmann will be argued as  
leave-in-conditioner. Reconsideration based on arguments &  
amendment pending new search.

(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments, if available, which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments which would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

☐ It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview.

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